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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OCLR, IR

SUBJ: CIVAIR - CLEARANCE FOR TRANS-INTERNATIONAL AIRLINES

FLIGHTS

REF : (A) TEHRAN 8177; (B) TEHRAN 7960; (C) STATE 107924

IN FOLLOWING UP TIA REQUEST FOR CLEARANCE THESE FLIGHTS  
EMBASSY SHOULD POINT OUT TO DGCA THAT WE DO NOT UNDERSTAND  
WHY APPROVAL OF FLIGHTS BY GOI SHOULD INVOLVE NEGOTIATIONS  
BY US CARRIER OF QUOTE COMMERCIAL ARRANGEMENTS UNQUOTE  
WITH IRANAIR. (FYI: TIA COMPLAINED TO CAB AND DEPT THAT  
WESTERN REGIONAL MANAGER OF IRANAIR, MR. MINTORABI HAS  
DEMANDED A "COMMISSION" OF 4000 DOLLARS AS AN INDUCEMENT  
FOR SECURING DGCA APPROVAL OF SUBJECT CHARTER FLIGHTS. END  
FYI). EMBASSY SHOULD CONTRAST APPARENT NEED IN INSTANT  
CASE TO MAKE COMMERCIAL ARRANGEMENTS WITH IRANAIR PRIOR TO  
ACTION ON US CARRIER'S APPLICATION WITH SITUATION LAST  
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SUMMER IN WHICH CAB STRECHED REGULATIONS TO BREAKING

POINT IN ORDER ACCOMMODATE IRANAIR CHARTERS UNDER SECTION  
1108 B OF FEDERAL AVIATION ACT (SEE REF C AND PREVIOUS).  
EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO CALL ATTENTION TO FACT THAT IRANAIR  
CHARTER FLIGHTS WHICH WOULD BE OPERATED PURSUANT TO  
CARRIER'S 402 PERMIT (PRESENTLY PENDING BEFORE CAB) WOULD,  
OF COURSE, NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE NEGOTIATION OF "COMMERCIAL  
ARRANGEMENTS". EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO STRESS NEED FOR PROMPT  
ACTION IN GRANTING CLEARANCE FOR THESE FLIGHTS INASMUCH AS  
CATTLE PRESENTLY BEING HELD IN TEMPORARY PENS AT HOUSTON  
AIRPORT. KISSINGER

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